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SUBJ: AMTORG INCIDENT AND AEROFLOT INCIDENT

1. CONFIRMING TELECON WITH SOV STEINER, USUN HAS RECEIVED NOTE DATED JUNE 30 FROM SOV DEL READING ALONG FOL LINES:

A. ZIONIST ORG KNOWN AS "LEAGUE FOR DEFENSE OF JEWS" CONTINUING THREATS AND OUTRAGES DIRECTED AT SOV INSTITUTIONS IN NY, FIRST AND FOREMOST AT "AEROFLOT" AND "INTOURIST" OFFICES, AS WELL AS WITH RESPECT TO AEROFLOT AND INTOURIST EMPLOYEES. FURTHER, ON NIGHT JUNE 24-25, UNKNOWN PERSONS OPENLY THREATENED SOV CITIZENS EMPLOYED BY AMTORG TRADING CORP IN NEW ATTACKS.

B. SOV DEL ALSO CALLS ATTENTION TO INCIDENT AT KENNEDY AIRPORT ON JUNE 27, WHEN MEMBER OF "LEAGUE FOR DEFENSE OF JEWS" TRIED TO BREAK INTO AEROFLOT AIRPLANES WITH HOSTILE INTENTIONS. AT SAME TIME REPEATED ANONYMOUS PHONE CALLS WERE REC'D CONCERNING PLACEMENT OF BOMB IN A SCHEDULED AEROFLOT AIRPLANE, RESULT OF WHICH DELAYED PLANE FOR NEARLY 2 HRS.

2. AMB MALIK HAS ALSO WRITTEN AMB YOST EXPRESSING THANKS FOR PERSONAL ASSISTANCE IN ARRANGING FOR SECURITY OF VARIOUS SOV INSTITUTIONS IN NY. AT SAME TIME MALIK STATES HE CONSIDERS IT NECESSARY TO INFORM YOST THAT IN RECENT DAYS DIRECT THREATS AND INSULTS ADDRESSED TO SOV CITIZENS WORKING

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IN VARIOUS SOV INSTITUTIONS HAVE BECOME MORE FREQUENT
WITH UNKNOWN PERSONS THREATING NEW HOSTILE ACTS IN NEAR
FUTURE. IN NOTE MALIK ASKS THAT PROTECTION OF SOV OFFICES
BE STRENGTHENED AND CONTINUED IN ORDER GUARANTEE SAFETY
SOV EMPLOYEES AND CONTINUE SECURE NORMAL WORKING CONDITIONS.

3. USUN IS SENDING APPROPRIATE ACKNOWLEDGEMENT TO BOTH NOTES
AMB POUCHING TEXT OF NOTES TO DEPT. USUN IS MAKING EVERY
EFFORT AND INSURE THAT POLICE PROTECTION IS CONTINUED
BY NYC POLICE DEPT BEYOND JULY 13.

4. USUN UNDERSTANDS THAT SOV EMB HAS ALREADY CONTACTED DEPT
RE INCIDENT AT KENNEDY AIRPORT AND THAT MEMCON RE SOV
APPROACH IS BEING PREPARED AND WILL BE SENT INTERESTED PARTIES.
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